

Sweeney Brian
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INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed pursuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934,
Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935 or Section
30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting
Person *

Â Sweeney Brian

(Last) (First) (Middle)

11 PENN PLAZA

(Street)

NEW YORK,Â NYÂ 10001

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Date of Event Requiring
Statement

(Month/Day/Year)

06/28/2011

3. Issuer Name **and** Ticker or Trading Symbol
AMC Networks Inc. [AMCX]

4. Relationship of Reporting
Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

☒ Director ☐ 10% Owner
☐ Officer ☐ Other
(give title below) (specify below)

5. If Amendment, Date Original
Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group
Filing(Check Applicable Line)
☒ Form filed by One Reporting
Person
☐ Form filed by More than One
Reporting Person

Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned

1. Title of Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Amount of Securities
Beneficially Owned
(Instr. 4)

3. Ownership
Form:
Direct (D)
or Indirect
(I)
(Instr. 5)

4. Nature of Indirect Beneficial
Ownership
(Instr. 5)

AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock 57,813,256.75 ⁽¹⁾

I ⁽¹⁾

By Cablevision Systems
Corporation and its subsidiaries
⁽¹⁾

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially
owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative
Security
(Instr. 4)

2. Date Exercisable and
Expiration Date
(Month/Day/Year)

3. Title and Amount of Securities
Underlying Derivative Security
(Instr. 4)
Title

4. Conversion
or Exercise
Price of
Derivative

5. Ownership
Form of
Derivative
Security:

6. Nature of Indirect
Beneficial Ownership
(Instr. 5)

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	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Amount or Number of Shares	Security	Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 5)
AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock	Â (2)	Â (2)	AMC Networks Inc. Class A (2) Common Stock	13,534,418.25 \$ (2)	I (1) By Cablevision Systems Corporation and its subsidiaries (1)

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
Sweeney Brian 11 PENN PLAZA NEW YORK, NY 10001	Â X	Â	Â	Â

Signatures

/s/ Anne G. Kelly, Attorney-in-fact for Brian G. Sweeney 06/30/2011

__Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v).

** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

- The Reporting Person's spouse is a member of a "group" with respect to certain securities of Cablevision Systems Corporation ("CVC") for purposes of Section 13(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. As such, the Reporting Person may be deemed to beneficially own
- (1) Issuer shares held directly by CVC and its subsidiaries. The Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of all shares of the Issuer beneficially owned or deemed to be beneficially owned by his spouse, including but not limited to any shares held directly by CVC and its subsidiaries, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that the Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of such securities for purposes of Section 16 or for any other purpose.
 - (2) AMC Networks Inc. Class B Common Stock of the Issuer is convertible at the option of the holder share for share into AMC Networks Inc. Class A Common Stock of the Issuer.

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Remarks:

ExhibitÂ List:Â ExhibitÂ 24Â -Â PowerÂ ofÂ Attorney

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